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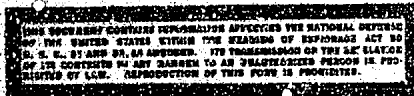
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MECHANIZATION OF BURGAS HARBOR

Burgas Harbor is being mechanized. Four powerful harbor cranes can handle loads from 3 to 15 tons. They load and unload goods directly from ships and trains.

Instead of using wagons, part of the shipping of the goods from one place to another is done with the help of pallets raised by mobile electric lifts. Automatic electric platforms rapidly lift heavy machines, iron, and train rails. Two automatic traveling cranes are used for hoisting and transporting heavy loads.

A mobile electric shovel from the USSR, which does the work of 15 men, was put into operation in Burgas Harbor during February 1952.

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